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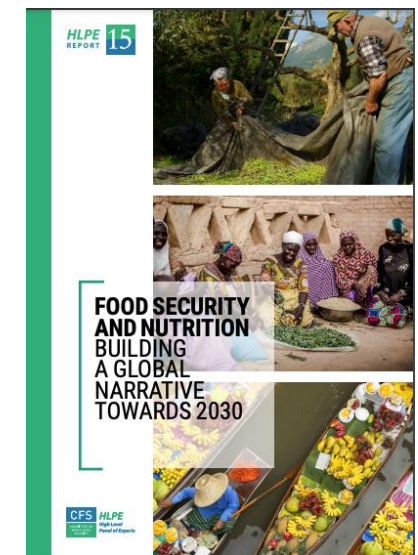
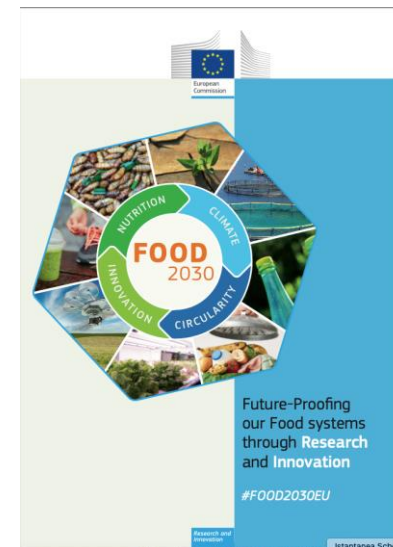
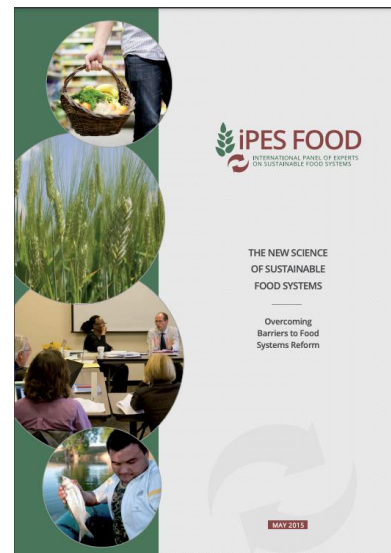


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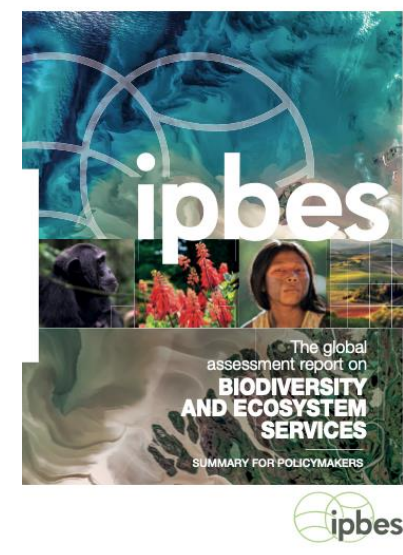
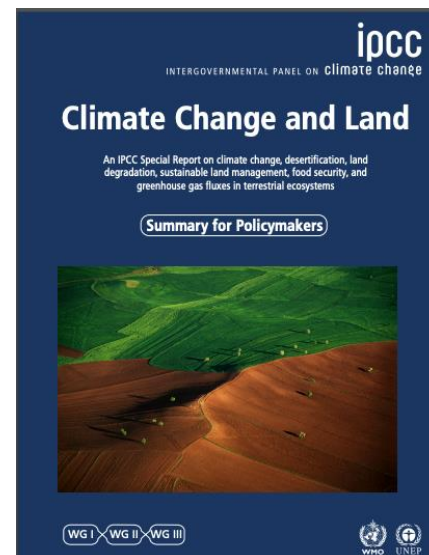
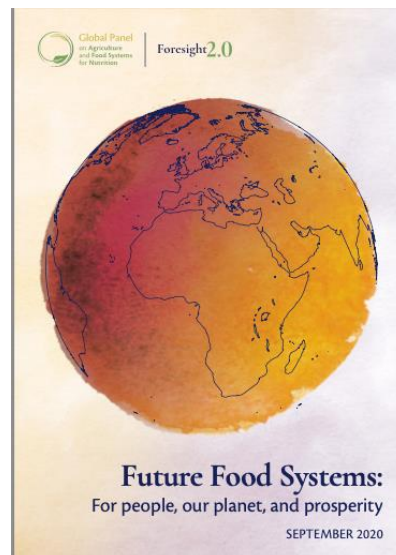
# Towards a new generation of (agri-) food policies

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# The challenge: transforming the way we eat, produce, distribute food



## Three questions

1. Why do we need a new generation of policies?
2. What are the qualities that a new generation of policies should have?
3. What should be done to foster a new generation of policies?

# 1. Why do we need a new generation of policies?



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achieving the transition to net-zero greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 2050 will require 'economic and societal transformations ..., engaging all sectors of the economy and society'

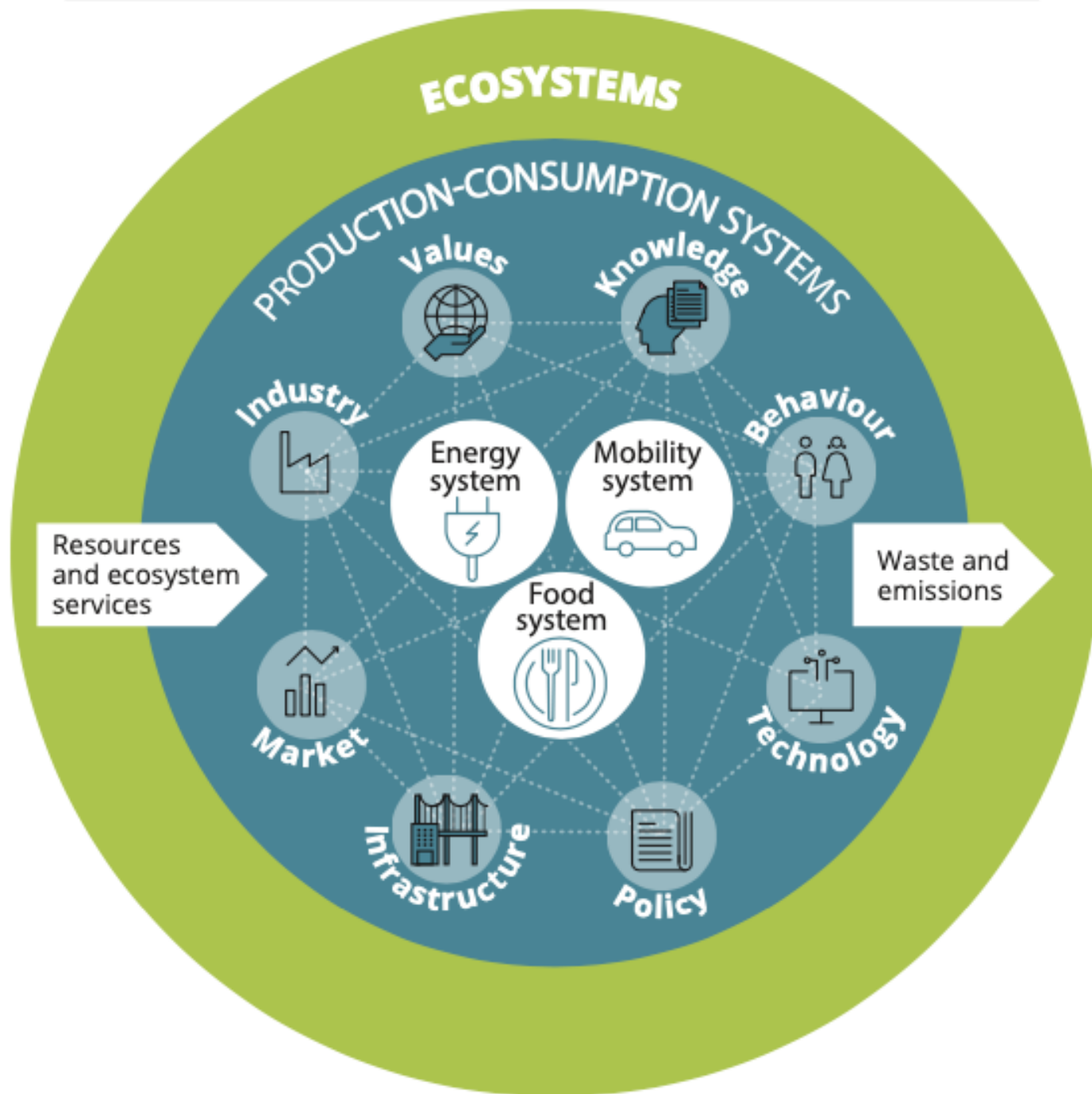
*(European Commission 2018, A strategic long term vision for a prosperous, modern, competitive and climate neutral economy)*



# Climate change on trial: The European countries taking their governments to court

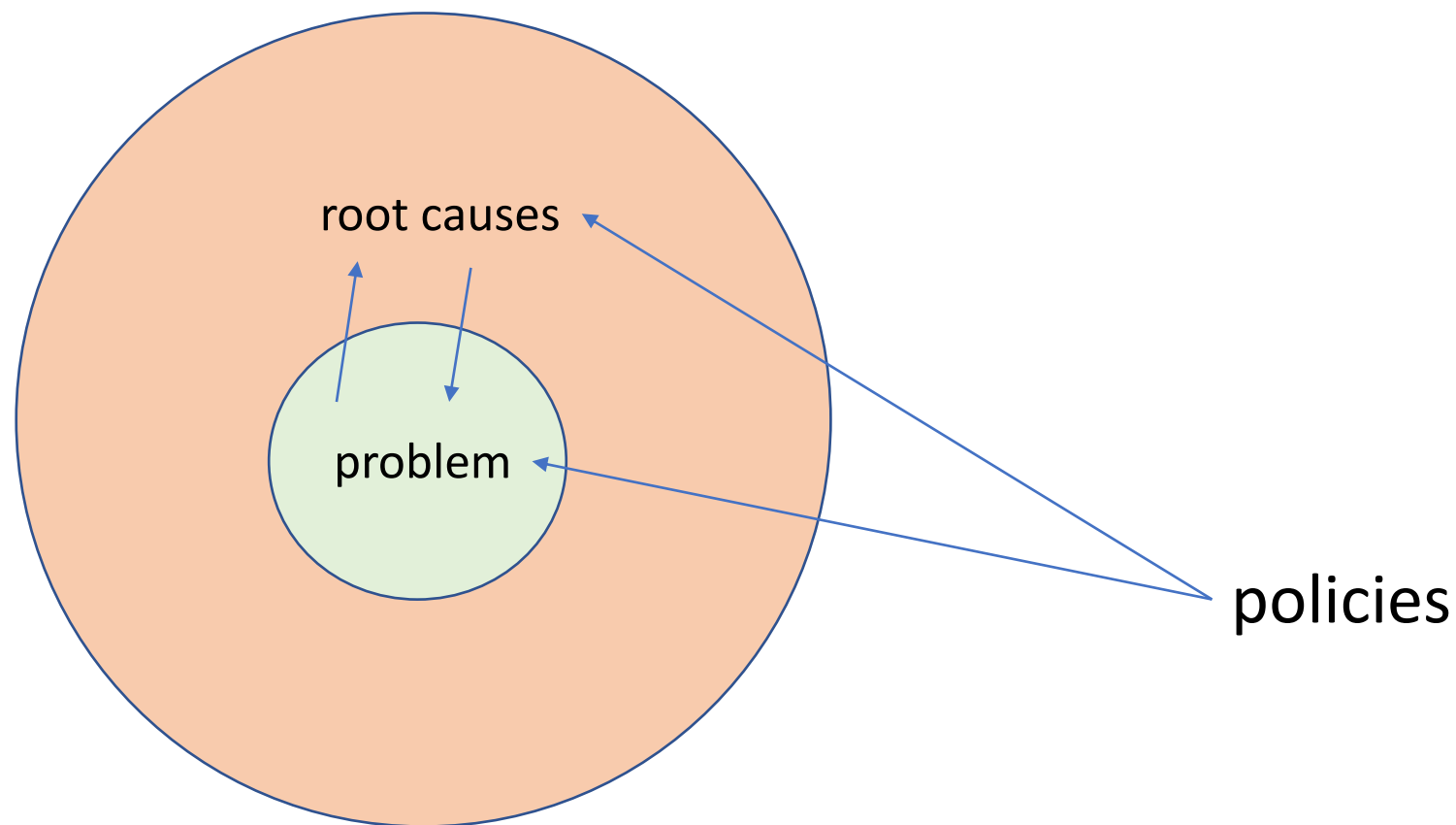


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**Source:** Based on EEA, 2014.

# A new generation of policies: Transformative policies



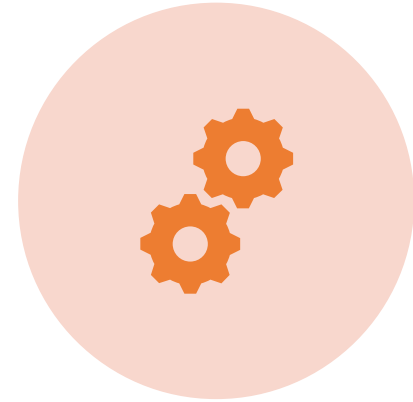
## 2. What qualities should transformative policies have?



NEW VALUES AND  
PRINCIPLES



NEW KNOWLEDGE  
BASE

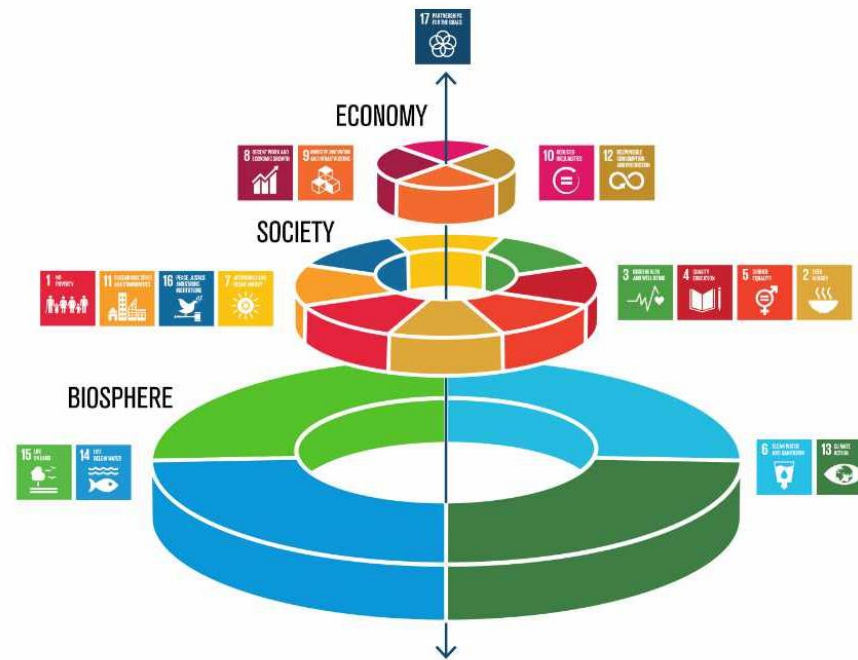


NEW INTERVENTION  
LOGICS



# New values and principles:

## From the Washington Consensus to the Sustainable Development consensus



## A new knowledge base

sustainable ecosystem  
diets socio-technical system complexity  
innovation circularity  
sufficiency resilience telecoupling  
agroecology nexus transformation  
diversity socio-ecological

# Transformative intervention logic

Systemic

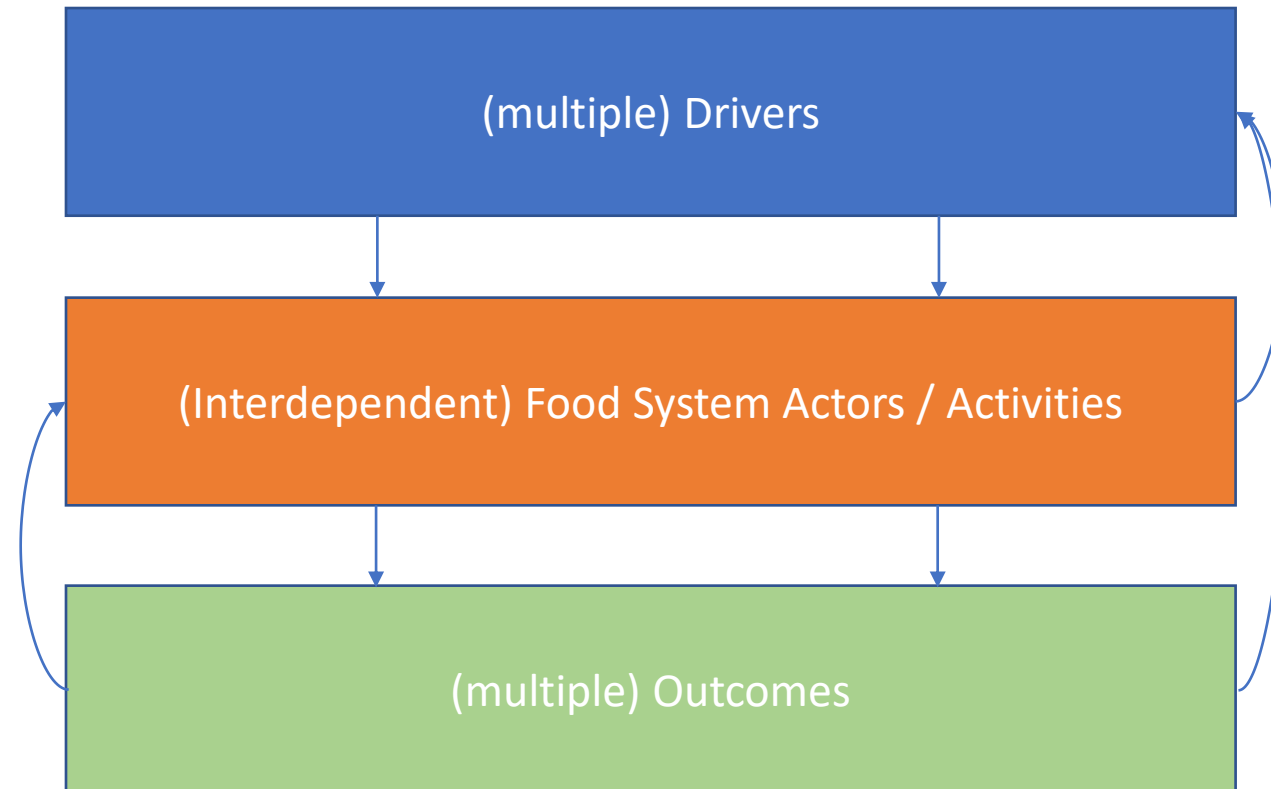
Coherent

Strategy-  
based



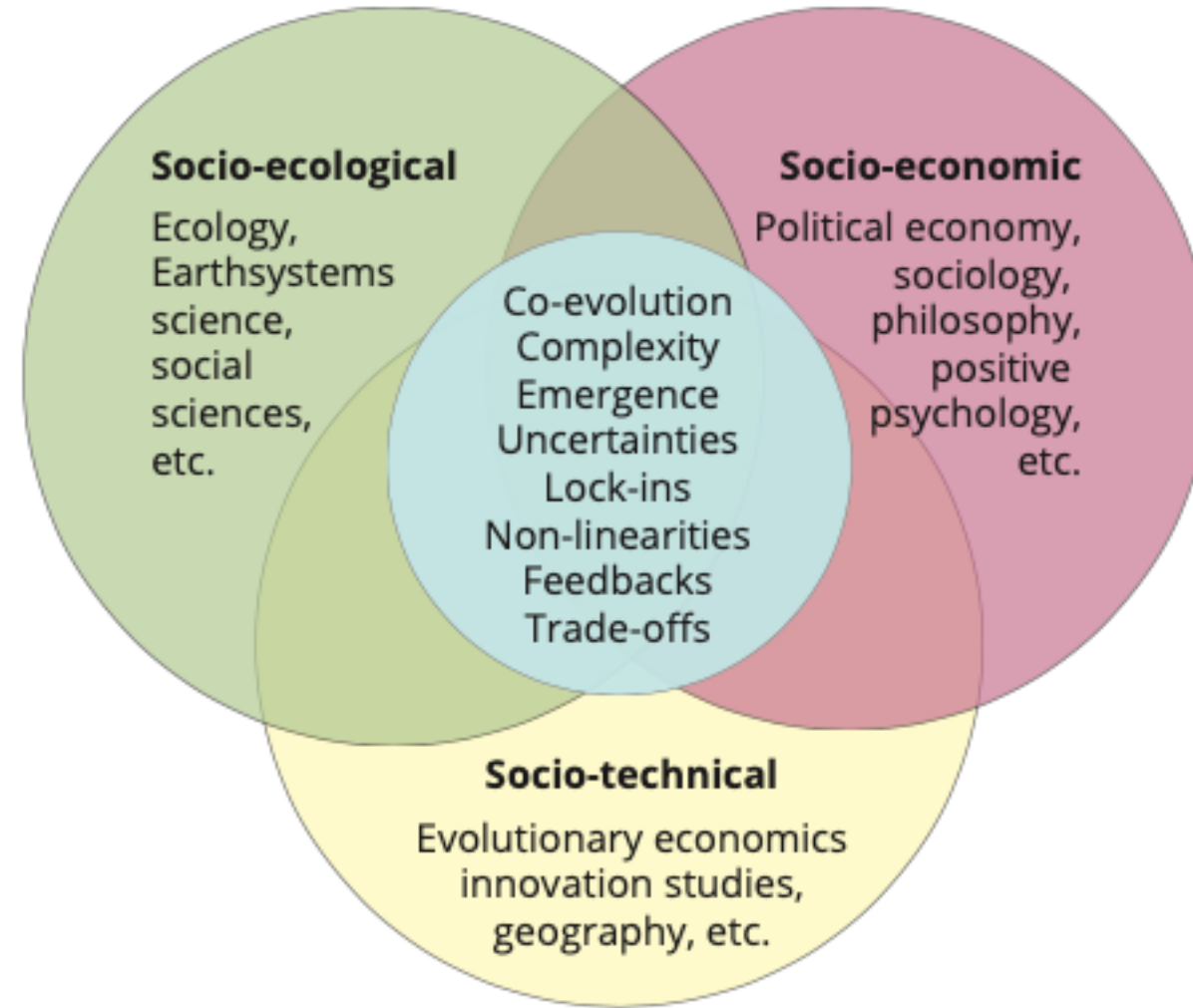


# Implications of system approaches



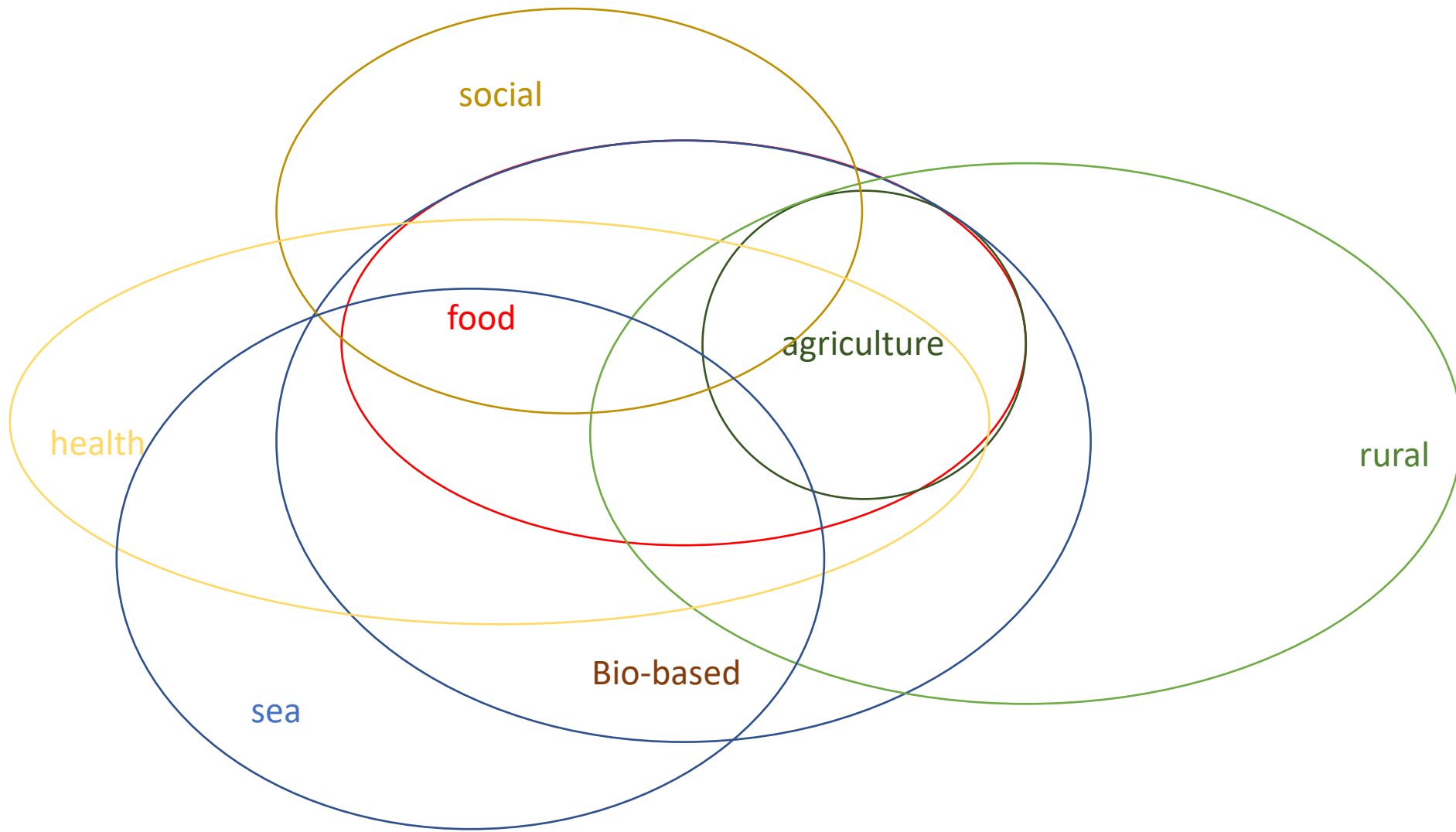


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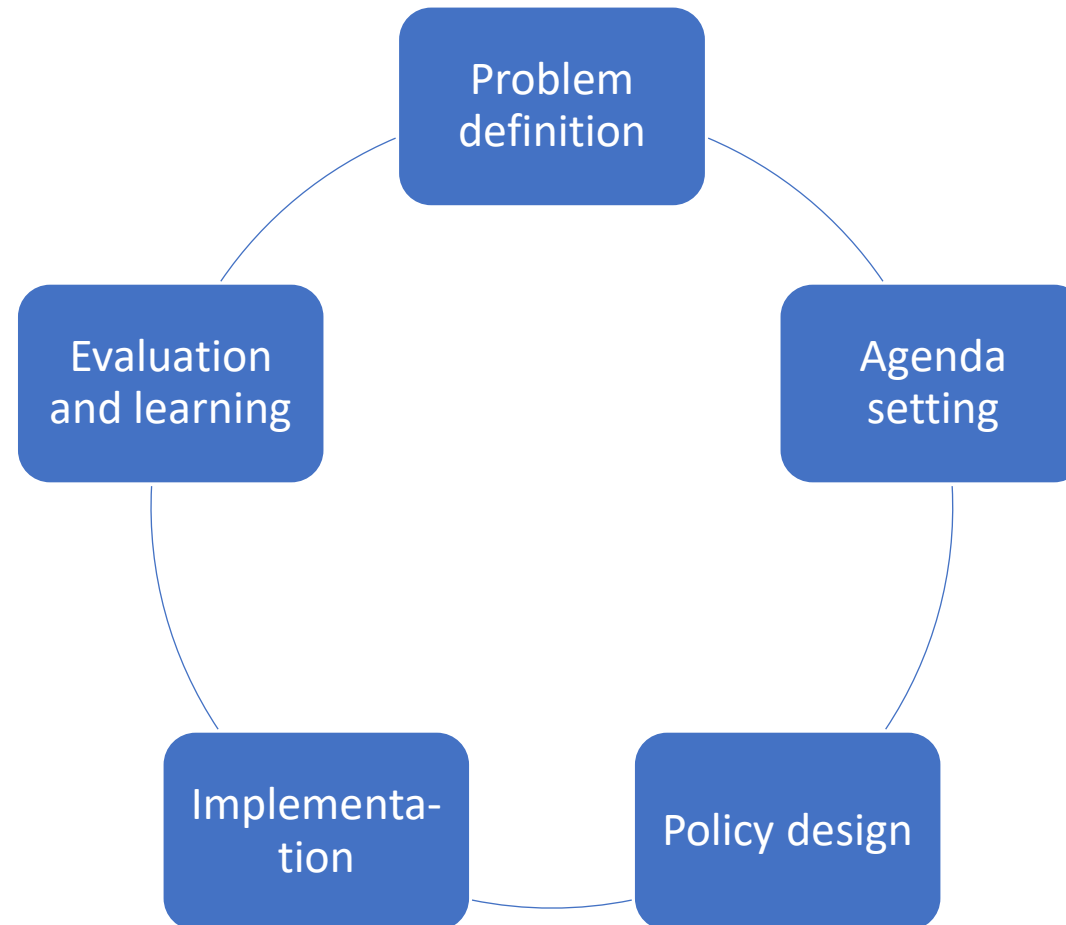


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Coherent?



# Understanding policy reform as a process



# Coherence as a process



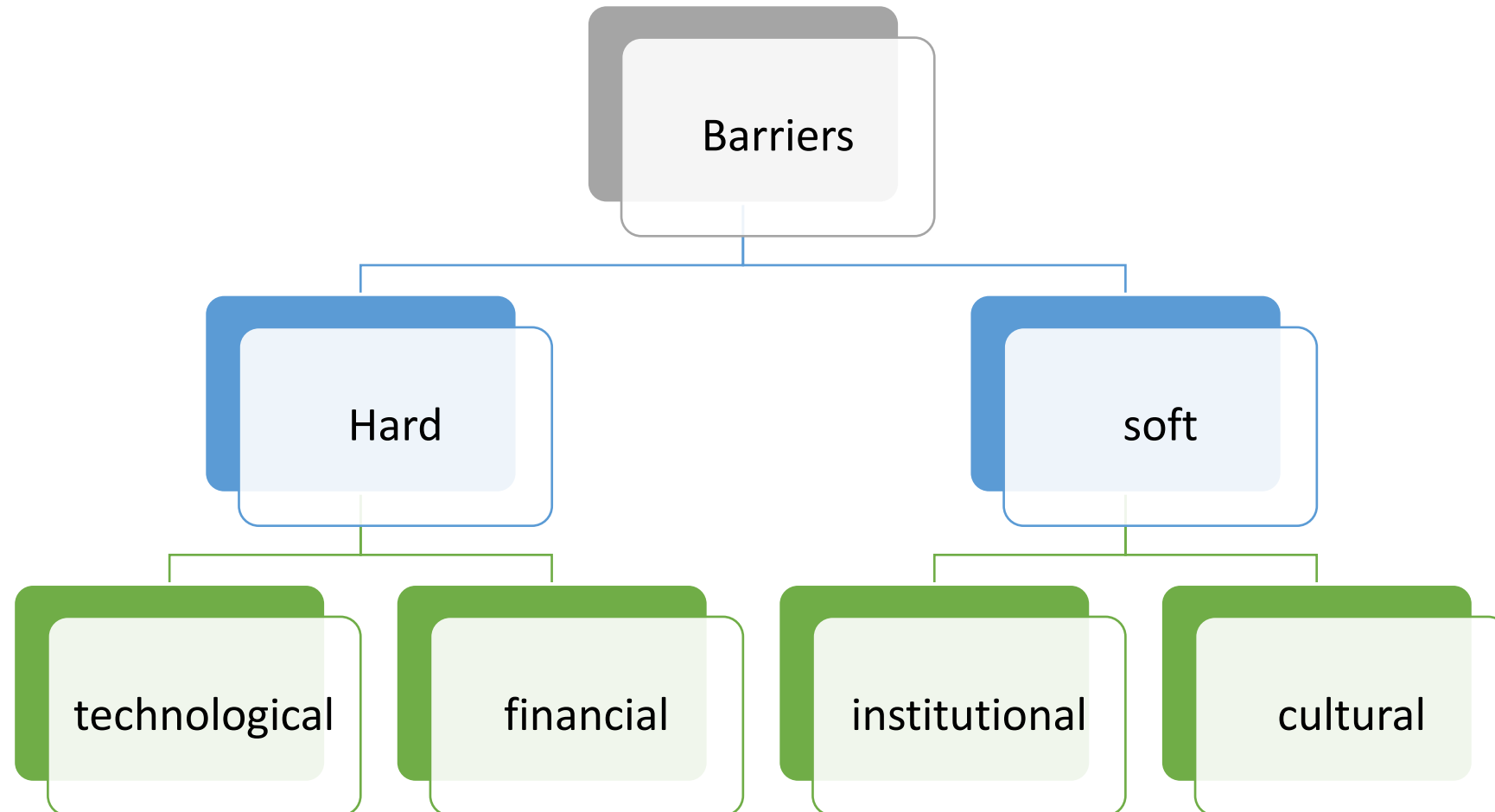
Visions

Long-term goals

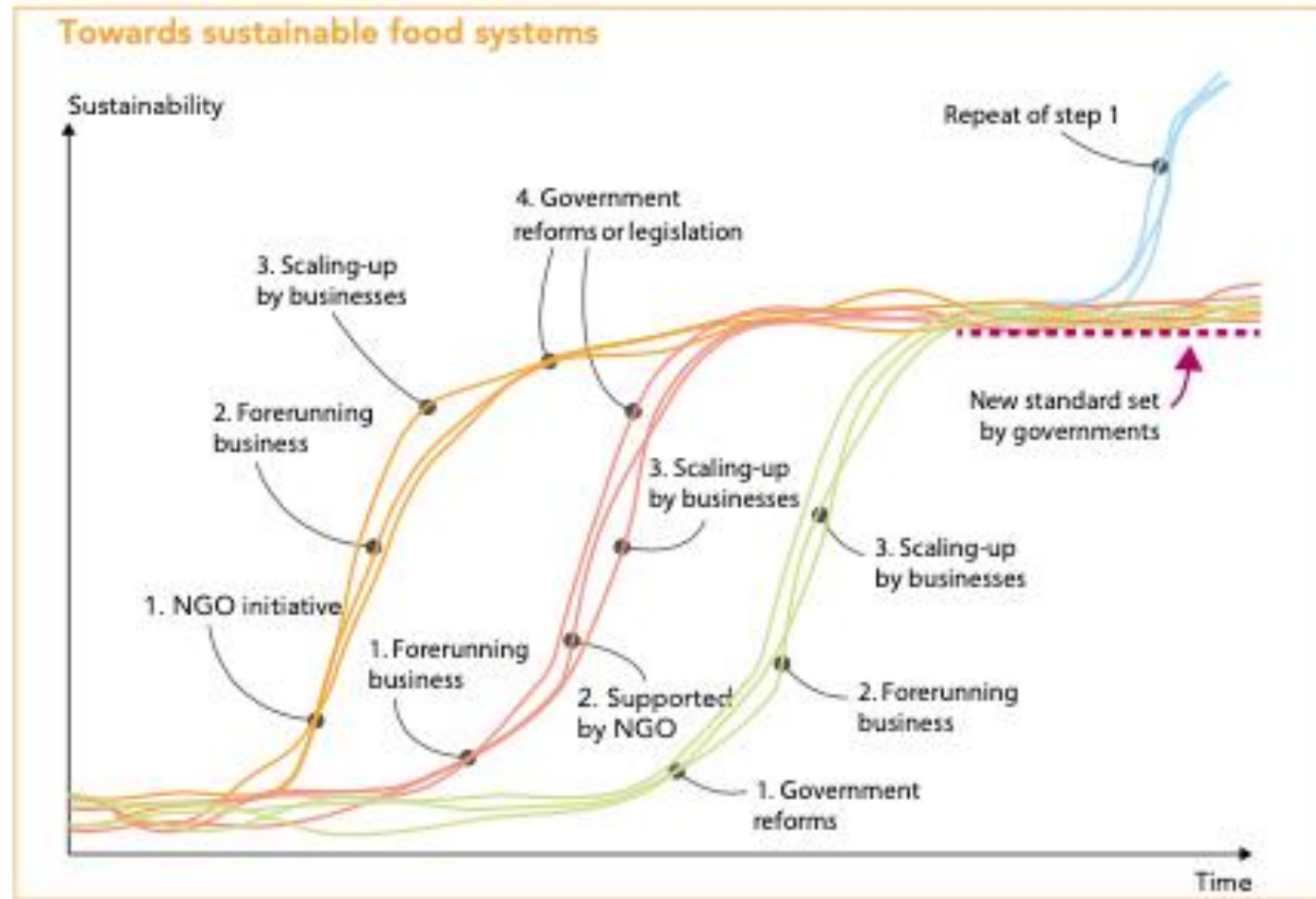
Pathways



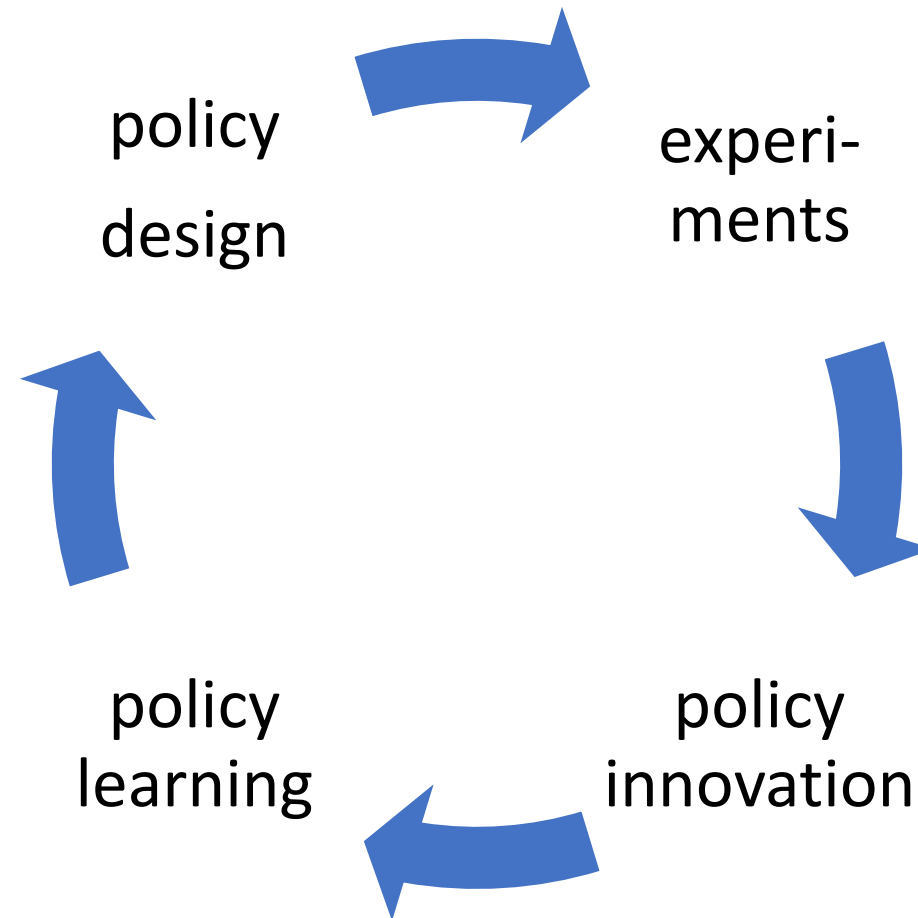
# Barriers



# Enablers



# Experiments as components of the process



3. What should be done to encourage a new generation of policies?

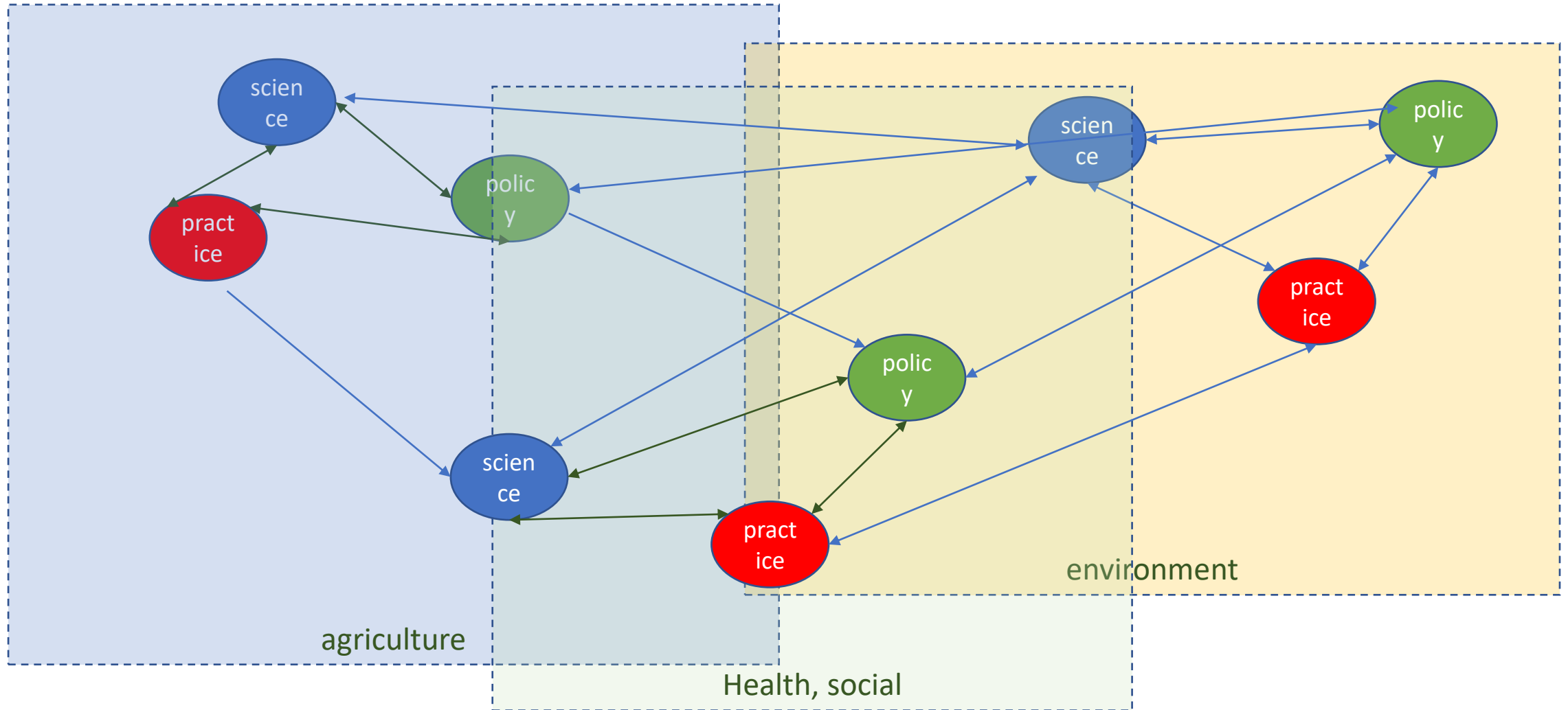
# Policy mixes for transformation

problem definition	agenda setting	design	implementation	policy evaluation
Transformation fora	Roadmaps for transition	Supply-side and demand-side Win-win solutions	Information systems Accountability Addressing resistance	Detecting barriers and trade-offs Transformative evaluation

Network governance  
Science-policy interfaces  
Living Labs / Policy Labs



# Transformative governance



# Questions for transformative governance

- what actors should be involved?
  - inclusiveness, pluralism
  - the role of science
- how to ensure participants' commitment to transformation?
- how to manage different views?
- what should be the rules of interaction?
  - learning, experimentation, reflexivity, monitoring, feedback

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# Thank you!



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